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Here's the final version of our Congressional letter, largely based on NOAA's, but also reflective of changes suggested by Jayne and others. Our front office told me to add the last paragraph, which is standard fare for these letters and provides a point of contact in our Congressional office.

As a footnote on this notorious Ides of May, I'll probably get fired for refusing to include "the" before "EPA" (as in "the EPA"), which our front office wanted. But it didn't seem to fit with the style in the rest of the letter. "The EPA and the NOAA" just sounds off to me, not to mention pretentious. Our front office may insert it anyway. But in case you don't hear from me anymore, you'll know why. At any rate, it's been great working with everyone!

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